Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : Yes, Sir.

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail : May I know whether he has actually sold any such book before obtaining permission ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : No, Sir.

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail : May I know whether his explanation was satisfactory ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : The explanation was accepted.

Mr. James Fletcher (*Kalkulam and Vilavankod* cum *Neyyattinkara*) : What are the formalities to be carried out before a copy book could be printed and sold ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : Government will give intimation about the number of copies to be printed, and as soon as the copies are printed these will have to be produced in the Government Press for being stamped.

Mr. James Fletcher : May I know whether any printed copy has been sold without being stamped ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : No, Sir.

Royalty on the sale of Government Malayalam Copy Books.

36. ❀ **Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the Proprietor of the Keralavilasom Press, Trivandrum, is bound to pay the royalty on the sale of Government Malayalam copy books by him at the end of every month ;

(*b*) whether he has defaulted payment at any time ;

(*c*) if so, the number of defaults committed by him ; and

(*d*) whether any action was taken by Government in respect of the defaults committed by him ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) *A statement furnishing the information is laid on the table.

(*d*) A notice was issued to him asking him to show cause, within 24 hours, why the contract with him should not be cancelled. As he then paid up the dues up-to-date and promised to be regular in future, the matter was not pursued further.

Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai : With reference to the answer to (b) may I know whether this was not an infringement according to the conditions of the agreement ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : It was.

Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai : May I know whether any action was taken for the rather frequent infringements ?

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Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : I would refer the honourable member to the answer to part (d) wherein it is stated that "as he then paid up the dues up-to-date and promised to be regular in future, the matter was not pursued further".

President : Are Government going to continue him ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : No, Sir, orders have already been passed discontinuing the arrangement.

Printing of Malayalam Copy Books.

37. * **Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they have decided that the printing of Malayalam copy books shall be taken up by the Government ; and

(*b*) if so, the date of that decision ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) 18th August 1940.

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail : May I know whether the period for the contractor to finish the work has been extended ?

Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai : May I know, Sir, how that question comes as a supplementary question to this ? This is about the date on which Government took up the printing.

President : It is not a supplementary question.

Speech by the Inspector General of Police on the occasion of the unveiling ceremony of the portrait of the late Mr. T. R. Raman Pillai, Deputy Inspector General of Police.

38 * **Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they are in possession of the full text of the speech delivered by the Inspector-General of Police on the occasion of the unveiling ceremony of the portrait of the late Mr. T. R. Raman Pillai, Deputy Inspector-General of Police ; and

(*b*) if so, will they be pleased to lay a copy of that speech on the table ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : (*a*) As the speech was ex-tempore a full text of the speech is not available.

(*b*) In view of the answer to part (*a*) this does not arise.

Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai : May I know whether the Government have got at least a summary of the speech delivered by the Inspector-General ?

Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar : Yes, Sir.

Mr. Kottur Kunjukrishna Pillai : May I know whether there was any declaration of policy of Government in that speech ?

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Appendix I.

Vide Answer to Question No. 36

Statement showing the No. of defaults committed by the Proprietor of the Keralavilasom Press, Trivandrum.

Month.	Due date for the remittance.	Date of actual remittance	Delay.		No. of copies sold.	No. for which royalty was remitted.	Balance for which royalty was due on the date.
			Months.	Days.			
10/1114	Last day of the month	1-11-1114	...	1	25050	25000	50
11/1114	Do.	22-12-1114	...	22	42875	25000	17875
12/1114	Do.	17-2-1115	1	17	10075		
1/1115	Do.	Do.	...	17	22700	50700	Nil.
2/1115	Do.	13-6-1115	3	13	5925	10000	50
3/1115	Do.	Do.	2	13	4125		
4/1115	Do.	28-6-1115	1	28	6692		
5/1115	Do.	Do.	...	28	5958	12700	Nil.
6/1115	Do.	4-7-1115	...	4	14100	14100	Nil.
7/1115	Do.	30-7-1115	..	...	1950	1950	Nil.
8/1115	Do.	30-8-1115	..	...	2700	2700	Nil.
9/1115	Do.	1-10-1115	..	1	23575	6250	17325
10/1115	Do.	23-10-1115	..	...	120025	27950	
		1-11-1115	..	1		71050	
		13-11-1115	..	13		38350	Nil.
11/1115	Do.	25-11-1115	..	...	72180	33250	
		16-12-1115	..	16		38930	Nil.
12/1115	Do.	7-1-1116	..	7	6700	6700	Nil.
1/1116	Do.	4-2-1116	...	4	3100	3100	Nil.
2/1116	Do.	6-3-1116	...	6	3300	3300	Nil.
3/1116	Do.	14-4-1116	...	14	2050	2050	Nil.
6/1116	Do.	14-9-1116	2	14	950		
7/1116	Do.	Do.	1	14	500	1550	Nil.
8/1116	Do.	Do.	...	14	100		
9/1116	Do.	26-9-1116	...	..		8650	
		2-10-1116	...	2		32800	
		6-10-1116	...	6	98300	56850	Nil.
10/1116	Do.	9-10-1116	...	..		31175	
		20-10-1116	..	...		26576	
		24-10-1116	..	..		20500	
		32-10-1116	..	...	99585	21334	Nil.

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